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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and or which a patent is sought on the invention entitled ACTUATOR DEVICE (Attorney Doc et No. 070221-9013-01), the specification of which is attached hereto.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified spec fication, including the claims referred to above.

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